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POLLY LARKIN

The pretty, picturesque little town of Cloverdale was the mecca for many people during the recent Citrus Fair. Many persons attended who have not missed one of the exhibits during the fourteen years that the enterprising and progressive people of Cloverdale have endeavored to show to the outside world what this favored region could produce in the way of citrus fruits, etc. The town itself was in the carnival colors of green and gold, and laden with the fragrance of the golden accacia and its wealth of orange blossoms and ripened fruit. Every train on the California Northwestern Railway that rolled into the station was laden with delighted sightseers, who gazed in wonder at the heavily laden trees and the ground strewn with the golden fruit. The pavilion was in gala attire with its green and gold bunting and many beautiful designs and exhibits. Artistic hands have left their touch everywhere, and in spite of the pavilion having been enlarged to double its size all the space was taken. To Mr. Bush, president of the association, Mr. T. Wilson, one of the officers and most active and enthusiastic members, Mrs. John Field and Mrs. A. M. Coomes, Polly is indebted for many pleasant favors and souvenirs. In fact the breath of the orange blossoms lingers round them still and the memory of the few happy hours spent in Cloverdale will always be a happy one. Great taste and originality had been shown in the different designs. There was an Italian harp of gold, all oranges, with strings of smilax, suggestive of the harmony that prevailed, which was the work of Mrs. George Baer. A Ferris wheel made of oranges and lemons, propelled by an electric motor, which was giving half a dozen aristocratic looking dolls a continuous ride, by Mrs. Care Gordi. A dump cart made entirely of the fruit in all of its stages, some of them green enough to pucker your mouth, up to the ones luscious enough to make you sigh for more, all dumped promiscuously on a velvety green lawn, was by Mrs. C. E. Humbert. This took the first prize of $50. There was a gold mine of oranges and from the tunnel came a cart filled with the gold. It should have been labeled with the name of the exhibit, for many persons concluded it was one of the tunnels of the California Northwestern Railway and it looked dangerous for the little man driving the cart. The gold mine was a unique design and typical of the town, for isn't all Cloverdale a gold mine with nuggets hanging all over the trees, beside laying on the ground in the greatest profusion? Mr. John Menihan carried off a prize for this pretty design. "For God and Home and Native Land," read the motto made in olives over a pretty little church, a schoolhouse and a home made of the fruits, and I knew I had found the exhibit of the W. C. T. U., quaint and attractive, and it appealed to you as being a fitting emblem. It merited and was given a prize. Fred Brush exhibited the Golden Stairs made of oranges, leading up over a picturesque rockery so cool and inviting with its moss and ferns, and water trickling over it, that you were inclined to linger and climb the golden stairs, but they looked like they were intended more for the angelic choir than ye every-day mortals. It was one of the prettiest designs and won third prize. The second prize went to Miss Pauline Brush and Ernest Simpson for a water wheel, kept in motion by running water. A lucky four-leaf clover, made of Washington navels, brought luck to the designer, Miss Bessie Graham, in the shape of a premium. A golden bear guarded the exhibit of W. D. Harris, and Ted Cornell displayed the Preston Store in oranges. George Washington and his little hatchet was pictured by Mrs. C. Cooley, while Mrs. John Field had a handsome pyramid of the golden fruit surmounted by a globe of handsome gold fish. So it went on with the various exhibits and there were oranges to the right of you, oranges to the left of you—oranges on all sides. Markell Baer had a handsome display of twenty-three varieties of the fruits, one Japanese lemon, fully developed, being no longer than a linnet's egg. A blue ribbon told the story of the first prize being awarded to him, with G. Hagamann a good second. Then there were the olives and olive oils—exhibits that Californians could well be proud of, for far-famed sunny Italy could produce no better. Dr. Coomes displayed the olives in the pickled state that captured the first prize at the Lewis and Clark Exposition, and an exact representation of the gold medal awarded him crowned the exhibit. Mrs. J. A. Kleiser's display of olive oil also showed that the gold medal had been awarded them at the Portland Fair. There was wine from the Italian Swiss colony at Asti, jellies, vegetables, even wool fleeces, paintings, etc., wood carving that was a credit to Miss Anna Smith and attractions enough to keep Polly busy for hours if space was not limited. I did not envy the judge, for his task was not an easy one. The Cloverdale people can well be proud of their 14th annual Fair.

If more business men were far-sighted enough to see the advantage it is to them to take an interest in their employes outside of the desire to get all of the work from them possible, they would see a vast difference in their business. Kindness is a powerful lever and capable of working miracles. It was a Rockland, Me., business man who not only gave the forty family men in his employ a fine turkey for Christmas, but instructed his bookkeeper to make a list of those who were having a hard time to get along who owed nim money, and to send each a receipted bill for the amount owed as a Christmas remembrance. Don't you think this kindness warmed the nearts of their many employes to the extent that they were anxious to make every moment count during working hours? Not one of these men would have the heart to neglect their work. Here in San Francisco more than one of the big firms aim to give their entire working force a treat of some kind every year. Sometimes it is a theater party followed by a banquet; sometimes a dance, and occasionally a banquet that is made so pleasant that the treat is long remembered. They believe in making it pleasant, and claim that this good fellowship makes the employes and employers understand one another better. "Does it pay to go to this expense?" asked a man who was never known to bestow a favor on even his oldest and most trusted employes. "Does it pay?" echoed the generous employer. It pays better than anything we have ever tried. We have the confidence and respect of our employes and it gives us an opportunity of understanding them better. It creates a bond of sympathy between us." "Somehow, I never could just see it in that light," said the narrow man. "I have always found I had to drive them every minute to get the best results and my money's worth. They hate and fear me and I am glad of it. I expect them to accomplish so much every day and there's trouble if they don't come up to the mark. They would get to fresh if I didn't pursue this policy." That man's ugly and distrustful nature was written on his face. He told the truth when he said his employes hated him, and yet he gloried in the fact.

A little encouragement, too, goes long ways. Why, people who employ others to assist them, never think of giving a word of encouragement is a mystery. Everyone of us knows how a word of praise lightens our duties and no matter how tired we are makes us give new zeal to our work. Our efforts have been appreciated and it is reward enough. A man or woman who works day after day doing their level best and yet never hears the words "well done" many times loses all interest. To be appreciated makes many a thorney pathway a flowery one, makes the heart sing a new song, and life worth living. It makes the sad happy and the gloomy bright. Everyone of us have it in our power to make people happy and we are to be condemned when we fail to do this. It costs us nothing and means so much to those we come in contact with in every day life.

Here is a query in our long neglected query-box: Daisy says she has a young gentleman friend who never offers to take her any place, calls only once in a great while, but who stands in front of the church every Sunday night and offers to escort her home, and what would I sugget in the case? Well, Daisy, I think I would invite the young man to attend church with me. Possibly he is bashful and needs a little encouragement. Otherwise if you go alone you can certainly manage to get home unattended.

Jesse writes from Sanger in regard to some very interesting fashion notes. Gray is to be worn a great deal this season and it is very suitable for what you want, with gray hat and gloves to match a shower bouquet of any pretty, dainty flowers; The rooms, if flowers are scarce, could be made beautiful with fruit blossoms.

BRIEF REVIEW.

Who can beat this for a letter head? W. P. Knote, attorney-at-law, M. D., N. P., harness, buggies, wagons, hog-tight fences, sewing machines, separators and ice. Farm implements. Breeding stables. Farm and city property, cattle, hogs, bought and sold. Money to loan. Legal instruments drawn; also teeth. Douglass, Butler county, Kan., U. S. A.—From the Kansas City Journal.

Irish Clerk (just over).—"Yis, sor, th'boys are stroikin' for shorter hours, but it sames foolish to me."

"How long are their hours now, Larry?

"Sixty minutes, sor, an' bedad, Oi can't see how they kin make 'em iny different without changin'th' calender."—My Business Friend.

One winter's day a very bow-legged tramp called at a home in Ontario and stood to warm himself by the kitchen stove. A little boy in the home surveyed him carefully for some minutes, then finally approaching him, he said: "Say, mister, you better stand back; you're warping!"

John Francis von Bima, charged with bigamy, having married Miss Emma Free, of Oakland, in Stockton last year, leaving a wife and children in Oakland, pleaded guilty and was sentenced by Judge Nutter to five years in San Quentin.

"Many men do not allow their principles to take root, but pull them up, every now and then, as children do flowers they have planted, to see if they are growing."—Longfellow.

Wages in Porto Rico have increased threefold since the Spanish days, and 30 per cent of the children are in the public schools, which are an American innovation.

If we can't realize our ideals we should idealize or realties.

STRICKEN ISLANDS OF SOUTH SEAS CALL FOR HELP OF AMERICAN PEOPLE

Chinese Are Strengthening Forts and Cities and Preparing for American Invasion---New Treatment for Morphine Fiends is Successful.

Radical Chicago Socialists are Pledging Their Lives and Giving Money for Defense of Officers of Miners' Federation.

Aid is Needed in South Sea Islands.

PAPEETE (Society Islands).—Cyclone destroyed the Consulate February 8th. Records saved but damaged. The library stationery and consular forms are lost. Governor solicits subscriptions. Estimated loss in French Oceania, $2,000,000.

Consul W. F. Doty, the American representative at Tahita, has forwarded to the State Department at Washington the above dispatch by way of San Francisco. A dispatch from Washington says that the State Department may find some difficulty in re-establishing the Tahita Consulate, which is located at the most important port in that quarter of the world. The difficulty results from the failure of Congress to pass an appropriation of $30,000 which had been asked for in the urgent deficiency appropriation bill to provide against emergencies. Consul Etienne L. Lanel, who represents the French Government at San Francisco, says that he has received no notification of any Government movement to assist the native islanders who are said to be in danger of starvation. It is now feared that the cyclone which devastated the Society and Faumuro islands, of which the island of Tahita is the most generally known, has entered the track of vessels bound to the Pacific coast and the Hawaiian islands, and in consequence four of the fleet were placed on the overdue board. The officers of the Mariposa report that a four-masted German bark was supposed to have met disaster in the cyclone, with many other vessels.

Guns Guarding Peking.

LONDON.—The Tribune's correspondent at Peking describes the interesting strategic position of troops by Yuan Shi Kai, commander of the Chinese forces. He has stationed four batteries of field artillery at Chinchow, province of Hunan, on the Yuen river, under pretense that bandits are approaching. This arrangement guards the northern approach to the capital, cutting the caravan route from Manchuria to Peking. He also is sending eight batteries of rapid-fire guns to Shuntefu, under the pretext that a secret society there is exhibiting unrest thus guarding the southern approach to the capital and cutting the Hankow and Peking road. Yuan Shi Kai retains twenty-six modified Krupp guns, the most modern pieces in China, at the hunting park, three miles south of Peking. The principal topic in the Chinese press relates to the reports coming from America that the United States is making complete preparations to send a military expedition to China. The newspapers regard these reports as a manifestation of an unfriendly policy. The imports of Newchwang for 1905, exclusive of military supplies, was the largest recorded. The total was $53,000,000 gold, of which $22,000,000 came from America, $9,000,000 being in cottons.

New Treatment for Morphine Fiend.

DENVER.—After having lost $100,000 worth of property and been deserted by his family, the result of indulgence in morphine, Spencer B. Ford, an Indiana farmer, has drifted into the County Hospital here and is fast losing his appetite for the drug under the treatment of a physician, who claims that his new saline remedy is a specific for the drug and liquor habits. Ford recently took 480 grains of morphine in tablets, and, not satisfied, was given three injections of twenty grains each, making 540 grains for the day. He suffered no ill effects, being in fine spirits the following day. Before Judge Johnson sent him to the hospital Ford was permitted to take a final dose of morphine. In thirty minutes he took eighty grains, and as that amount had no perceptible effect he asked for more. Another small amount was given. Then he was taken to the hospital.

Socialists Up in Arms.

CHICAGO.—Two thousand Socialists, some of them of the most radical stamp, held two meetings and practically pledged an armed revolution and their lives to the workingmen's cause if Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone, officers of the Western Federation of Miners, "should be railroaded to the gallows" by greedy capitalists who charge them with the murder of former Governor Steunenberg of Idaho. A collection amounting to several hundred dollars was taken up to help the accused defend themselves in court.

Simpkins Under Arrest.

BOISE (Idaho).—L. J. Simpkins, for whom the detectives engaged on the Steunenberg case have been searching very ostentatiously, it is stated, has been in custody the entire time. It is said he is to be rewarded for the confession he made to the detectives by being permitted, when the proper time comes, quietly to slip from the country.

Custom House Duties Refunded.

CONSTANTINOPLE.—It is declared in official quarters that orders have been sent to Beirut, Syria, to refund the customs duties paid under protest on consignments of educational materials destined for the American schools there and in future to admit such consignments duty free, but communication on the subject has not yet been sent to Mr. Leishmann, the American Minister here.

Rich Silver Ore Discovered.

PIOCHE (Nev.)—A stampede to Bailey Springs, twenty-five miles northwest of Pioche, has been caused by the discovery of remarkably rich silver ore at the grass roots. The find was made only a few days ago by A. S. Whipple and a companion. When specimens assayed returned 417 ounces of silver to the ton every one in Pioche who could secure a conveyance left for the scene of the strike.

Ex-Recorder Suicides.

TONOPAH (Nev.)—J. A. Wall, former Recorder of Ormsby county, committed suicide at Rye Patch, fourteen miles from here. He was on the way to Manhattan with Frank Helm. He went out while the others were eating, took a revolver from his handbag, walked 200 yards and shot himself through the head. His widow lives at Carson.

Will Sell Lumber in China.

TACOMA (Wash.).—Henry Hewitt Jr., the largest individual owner of timber lands in Washington, has just organized a company to build one of the largest lumber plants in the State. The purpose of the new plant is unique in that it is intended to market its entire output, excepting low grades not worth shipping, in the cities of China.

American Firm Heavily Fined.

CITY OF MEXICO.—The National Metal Company, an American concern allied with the American Smelting and Refining Company, has been fined $62,000 by the Mexican Government for evading the Mexican revenue-stamp law at its ore-buying agency in Chinapis, State of Chihuahua.

Raises Chicago Saloon Licenses.

CHICAGO.—By a positive vote of 40 to 28 the City Council passed an ordinance raising the annual saloon license from $500 to $1000, and by that token the crusaders against the crime waves that have swept Chicago this winter won one of the greatest victories scored in years.

Sixteen Killed at a Dance.

FLORENCE.—At the village of Fucecchio, twenty-three miles west of Florence, a house where a dance was in progress took fire. In the panic which ensued the floor gave way and sixteen persons perished, while many others were injured.

Receiver For Carbon Company.

FRANKLIN (Pa.).—General Charles Miller has filed an application for a receiver for the General Manifold Company, makers of carbons and manifold paper. The plant is capitalized at $4,000,000, employs 200 men and is said to owe $900,000.

Star Run of Electric Car.

CHICAGO.—Covered with snow, the Strang electric car arrived in Chicago over the Lake Shore after a successful run of more than 1100 miles. The car ran ahead of its thirty-miles-an-hour schedule, and can run 225 miles without re-charging.

Trouble Brewing on Indian Frontier.

LONDON.—The Express understands that in consequence of repeated raids by the Waziras and other warlike tribes on the northwest frontier of India the authorities contemplate sending a powerful expedition to the disturbed districts.

Accused Man Commits Suicide.

ST. PETERSBURG.—During a meeting of the Father Gapon organization, which was investigating the scandal involving charges of accepting money from the Government, an accused member dramatically committed suicide.

Float Ashore on Ice.

CRONSTADT.—A block of ice from the Gulf of Finland with about 150 fishermen on it has been driven ashore here. The ice-breaker Yermak has gone to the rescue of the remainder of the fishermen.

Susan B. Anthony Dangeriously Ill

ROCHESSER (N. Y.).—The condition of Susan B. Anthony, the suffragist, has again become grave. The pneumonia has attacked the right lung as well as the left. Miss Anthony is 86, years old.

An Earthquake in Maine.

PORTLAND, (Me.).—A distinct earthquake was felt in this city March 4th. In several parts of the city the shock was accompanied by rumbling which lasted several seconds.

Fire Causes Heavy Loss.

DUNKIRK (N. Y.)—A fire that was caused by a gas explosion in the careroom of the United States Radiator Works destroyed about half the plant. Loss $150,000.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Current Events Specially Selected and Condensed.

A Viticultural Association has been organized at Ukiah.

The loss in the San Diego postoffice robbery is said to be close to $17,000.

The State Board of Library Trustees has adopted rules placing the employes of the library under civil service.

The fruit trees of Solano county are threatened with the infection of blight, which has crept into a few of the extensive pear orchards.

The Union Hill, Luck and Cambridge gold quartz claims at Grass Valley have passed under the control of a Los Angeles syndicate.

The police authorities at Bakersfield are baffled by two attempted hold-ups and a successful highway robbery committed within two days.

A man giving the name of John Brady, who is suspected of being the cause of the recent incendiary fires in Los Angeles, has been arrested.

E. Oscar Hart has started for a trip through Death Valley after having received numerous written and verbal threats that his life would be forfeited if he entered the desert.

Carl Schuer, aged 35 years, employed at a Santa Rosa shoe factory, committed suicide by hanging. It is believed that melancholia, due to ill health led him to take his life.

W. Gates, secretary of the State Board of Charity Directors, whose duties are to visit the penal institutions of the State, says that "Solano county has the worst jail in the State."

Judge Hyland of the Superior Court of San Jose granted the Jane Stanford estate permission to sell $2,000,000 worth of securities, the disposal of which will about close up the estate.

That Engineer Paul C. Doak was shot to death at San Jose by two Italians who were lying in wait for some enemy, and for whom they mistook Doak, is now firmly believed by the local officers.

Mrs. Emily Gehrke committed suicide in a suburb of Los Angeles by drinking a quantity of chloroform and setting fire to the gasolene she had poured over her naked body. She left a contrite note to her husband whom she had left.

West-bound freight train No. 219 was wrecked between Auburn and Colfax. L. A. Watson, son of a wealthy citizen of Stockport, Ia., was killed, and his companion, Arthur Stout of the same place, was injured. The young men were riding on a flat car.

E. E. Rogers, of Oakland, foreman of a special crew engaged in standardizing the narrow-gauge track at Santa Clara, was struck by the south-bound flyer and almost instantly killed. Rogers stepped out of the path of one train directly into the road of another.

After having been confined in the soft mire at the bottom of an old well, thirty-five feet below the surface of the earth, for several hours, "Jim," a valuable horse belonging to B. Spaulding of Mayfield, was rescued through the agency of a hastily constructed block and tackle.

W. Lanchestedt entered a shoe store at Vallejo in perfect health, and when the storekeeper went back to attend him he found him dead. Lanchstedt died of apoplexy. He leaves two sons and three daughters. Lanchstedt was for many years a brewer for the Minahan Brewery.

Two Japanese proprietors of shooting galleries at Los Angeles, with an eye to encouraging business, put up small American flags as targets. A crowd of Chinese immediately gathered around the place and began shooting the flags. They grew much excited and were shooting indiscriminately around the place when the police arrived.

In the Glenn county Superior Court at Willows, Alfred Nelson and Fred Jacobs pleaded guilty to the crime of burglary in the first degree. They made an unsuccessful attempt to blow open the safe in Todt's saloon at Germantown, and were captured. Nelson was sentenced to ten years at Folsom and Jacobs to a like term at San Quentin.

The body of Mrs. E. M. Acuff of San Diego, was found on the bay shore several miles below Coronado. Mrs. Acuff left her home saying to her daughter that she was going to make a call. She failed to return by evening and a search was begun, which resulted in the finding of the body. There is no reason to suspect suicide and her death is a mystery.

Two orphan children, 9 and 12 years old, James Grant and Freddie Murdock, broke the record for infant incorrigibility by robbing the Downing residence, on Fairview street, Berkeley, of rings and other valuable jewelry. The youngsters climbed into a window by means of a ladder in broad daylight. They are now in the hands of the probation officer.

John Solani, who killed John Guidotti and seriously wounded Lelio Ricci at Glen Ellen in October, 1904, was convicted of murder in the second degree at Santa Rosa. At the conclusion of his first trial, in December, 1904, he was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to ten years. Subsequently he was granted a new trial, based on the claim of misconduct by the jury. The second trial, confirms the judgment as to his guilt.

Alaska Gets a Delegate.

WASHINGTON.—A bill has been passed providing for a delegate in Congress from Alaska.

"Necessity knows no law except to conquer."—Publius Syrus.

Animals That Do Not Grow Thirsty.

There are many different kinds of animals in the world that never in all their lives sip so much as a drop of water. Among these are the llamas of Patagonia and the gazelles of the far east. A parrot lived for fifty-two years in the zoo at London without drinking a drop of water, and many naturalists believe the only moisture imbibed by wild rabbits is derived from green herbage laden with dew. Many reptiles—serpents, lizards and certain batrachians—live and thrive in places entirely devoid of water, and sloths are also said never to drink. An arid district in France has produced a race of nondrinking cows and sheep, and from the milk of the former Roquefort cheese is made. There is a species of mouse which has established itself on the waterless plains of western America and which flourishes notwithstanding the absence of moisture.

Discretion.

"Why do you insist on only $99,000 a year as your salary?"

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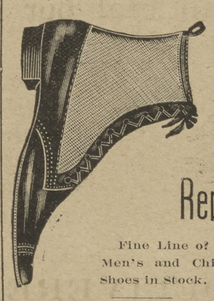
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CATHOLIC CHURCH—Commencing Sunday, November 20th and until further notice, mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, on the first and third Sundays of the month at 10:30 a. m., and on the second and fourth Sundays mass will be said in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, at 9 a. m., and in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 11 a. m. On the fifth Sunday of every month in which five Sundays occur, mass will be said in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m., and in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma at 11 a. m.

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GLEN ELLEN COLUMN

SOCIETY NOTICES.

W. W. Ellenwood Camp, No. 487, meets the first and third Saturday evenings of each month in Native Sons' Hall.

Glen Ellen Parlor No. 102, N. S. G. W., meets the second Saturday of each month in Native Sons' Hall. A. M. HARDMAN, President. CHAS. J. POPPE, Secretary.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Chekurian, pastor. Services every Sunday at 3:45 p. m. Sunday School at 2:45 p. m.

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WEEKLY EXPOSITOR

Friday, March 16, 1906.

The University Farm

W. C. Nolan and T. J. McGimsey circulated a petition this week, asking the Governor and members of the State Commission appointed to select and purchase a site for the University Experimental Farm, to visit the best site in the best county in the State, namely the Wickersham ranch near Sonoma.

The petition was numerously signed by all the prominent men of this valley and other sections of the county.

Mr. Nolan went to Santa Rosa, Petaluma and other places and was successful in getting influential citizens to endorse the request.

It is not a request to purchase the farm in question, but simply urges the State Commission to visit and examine the site for themselves. We are confident from what we have heard of the other sites that have been offered for sale, that the Sonoma Valley site has more good points in the aggregate than any other farm in the state.

One of the principal requirements upon which the purchase of the University Farm must be made is, that the average conditions existing in this state must be found on the place purchased by the commission.

Now, it is a fact that no one disputes, that the average conditions prevailing in the Golden State are found here with many undesirable features eliminated. In short, all the needs of an Agricultural College and Experimental Farm obtain in Sonoma Valley and all we ask is that the men appointed to do their best for such an institution show their good intentions by giving Sonoma Valley the courtesy of a visit of examination. This we feel assured will be done.

As we have before stated, some of the features which are to be found here are as follows:

Two systems of railway near the ranch.

Franchise granted for electric road near the place.

Three miles from San Pablo bay and water connection with San Francisco.

Rich hill and valley land of varying qualities of soil.

Contains 1550 acres, which large area allows for the growth of such an institution as well as for unrestricted experiments in horticulture, viticulture and agriculture.

Anything and everything of commercial value raised in California can be raised on this fine property.

The health and comfort of the students and professors should have due consideration. If the farm is located in this nature-favored section, they can be sure of not melting away in summer or blowing away in the winter, and that they having to go to the springs to regain can finish their courses without their lost health.

Abundance of the purest mountain spring water is found here.

The place has many acres of various California wild woods and many acres of virgin soil of excellent quality.

WILL GO TO SHERWOOD

The Northwestern Redwood Co. notified J. Milton McGimsey of Sonoma, that he had been selected by them as manager of their large merchandise store at Sherwood and to be ready to take charge on April 1, next.

In Mr. McGimsey the company has an able and reliable business manager. The young man's many friends in this valley and Mendocino Counties will be pleased to learn of his preferment.

COMMODORE IS SUED

Commodore Frederick Woodworth is being sued in San Francisco by Charles Webb Howard another real estate owners on Tomales Bay to prevent him from obtaining title to large tracts of land at the foot of Tomales Bay and to islands which are partially or wholly submerged at high tide. Woodworth has been endeavoring to acquire title to these, intending to establish what he calls "the Coronado of Northern California." The Tomales Bay country, is one of the most beautiful in the world, and the region where he has made his location is already very popular. It has been Woodworth's plan to have a branch of the Petaluma & Santa Rosa railway built, the ocean terminus to be at Pacific City, a municipality yet to be founded. The Howards tried to acquire a lot of property in this same region a good many years ago but on account of a defect in the application they did not succeed. Now they are opposing the Woodworth project and a prolonged battle in the courts is likely to follow.

PURE BLOOD IS VITAL

Not everyone realizes the vital necessity of keeping the blood pure at all times. Impure blood not only causes various derangements and inability to perform one's work well, but gives a ready welcome to all germs of disease with which it comes in contact. It is the rankest extravagance to allow the human blood to remain in an impure or impoverished condition. "Our Standard Remedy" is the safest, purest and best blood purifier on the market to-day. It is a new remedy, a purely vegetable preparation composed of roots, barks and herbs, and contains no calomel or other injurious or metallic drug. 204 doses for $1, with a written guarantee that your money will be refunded if you are not cured of all troubles caused directly or indirectly by bad blood. You can purchase this wonderful new remedy at Clewe's. John McNeil, sole agent for Sonoma County, Ohm's Sulphur Springs, Sonoma.

Don't forget to see the stylish millinery at G. H. Hotz on Saturday March 17th.

LOCAL POLITICS

There is no lack of candidates for the city offices to be filled by election on April 9. Among those who have been mentioned for Trustees are: L. Quartaroli, P. Yenni, John Wagnon, A. Pinelli, Henry Bates and Geo. Breitenbach J. H. Albertson, for marshal, Jos. B. Small, for city clerk, and Wm. Clewe for city treasurer, have as yet no opposition to their reelection.

PRESIDENT FOSTER

President A. W. Foster of the C. N. R'y has headed a subscription list for a bonus to be given for the purchase of the Wickersham Ranch near Sonoma, aa a University Farm site with $5000. This is certainly a good starter and shows the genuine interest Mr. Foster takes in the upbuilding of this section.

Poultry Stock Food

Buy Purina Poultry and Stock Foods of Batto & Son, Vineburg or Sonoma. Also hay grain, feed flour, Sonoma depot at L. H. Green's Lumber Yard. *

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

ALTIMIRA CLUB

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Altimira Club was held at the residence of J.T. MacQuiddy last Monday evening. Plans for the new club house were accepted as submitted.

Mr. Aguillon the owner of the building in which the club will be located, cheerfully agreed to make all necessary improvements and additions, promising to carry out the plans and specifications desired by the club. The money paid in by the members amounting to over $500 can thus be utilized to-wards equipping the club rooms in the most up-to-date style. When completed the new home of the Altimira Club will be as fine as that of any small city in the state, As a matter of fact very few cities of the state will have as fine a social and athletic organization.

As the ideas of the members approach realization and the membership increases, enthusiam and interest grows apace.

The Altimira promises to be one of the most useful and successful organizatians of its kind anywhere.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

MARRIED AT SANTA ROSA

A very pretty though simple wedding was solemnized at the Church of the Incarnation, Santa Rosa, at noon Saturday, when Thomas W. Spaulding of Schellville and Miss Beatrice Bioletti were united in matrimony. Mrs. Ross Campbell played the wedding march, which was from Lohengrin, as the bride was being escorted to the altar upon the arm of John Hood, who gave her away, and during the time they were being congratulated, she played softly the famous piece of Mendelssohn.

The impressive words were pronounced by Rev. A. L. Burleson and the couple were unattended. The altar had been prettily arranged in white flowers, and the bride carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Ward of Glen Ellen and is one of the most popular of the Sonoma Valley younger set. Her husband is a popular and prosperous farmer of Schellville, and they have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy journey through life.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was enjoyed, and the preparations were made for their wedding trip.

Cabinet work, refrigerators, book cases, chests and Mission furniture. Properly made to order at Adler's Planing Mill, Spain St.

Native Sons, Attention!

A full attendance of members is desired at the regular meeting next Monday evening March 19 Important business.

L. H. Green, Sec'y.

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Spring hats at the RACKET STORE.

GLEN ELLEN LETTER

Last week dear readers, Glen Ellen was singing—

Spring is coming; Spring is coming
With her sunshine and her flowers;
But alas! that one should be deluded by tricky old March. Who does not know his mind from hour to hour, and who sends us rain out of a clear and shining sky. Rude Boreas has swept through the Glen, chilling the tender blossoms, that Flora had sent us as the first harbingers of Spring—chilling the air, until the very rain drops turn to ice—and chilling our hearts when we think of the mighty ships tossed about at his mercy on the vast and lonely deep. How sad our lives would be were it not for Hope, which springs eternal in the human breast. We know full well, these gloomy days are numbered, and soon we shall be rejoicing with all nature.

No doubt there are many news items floating about town, but this inclement weather keeps one indoors, however the interesting news of another wedding in the near future has not passed us by. "All the world loves a lover," so of course we are sympathetic and ernest in our congratulations and wisher for future happiness.

"The Old Maids Convention," one of the funniest things in the way of a farce, was given in Mays flower Hall on Friday last, by some members of the Congregational Church from Kenwood. From beginning to end the audience was literally convulsed with laughter, especially when they got in a few local hits, and gave a list of elegible parties in Glen Ellen with a racy comment after each name.

The Woman's Improvement Club met at the usual hour on Saturday when they welcomed a new member Mrs. Cereghino. I hear they have decided to give a party of some kind shortly after Lent.

AJAX

Judge Dooling Coming

On next Monday evening, March 19, Sonoma Parlor, No. 111, N. S. G. W. will be honored by an official visit from the Grand Vice President, M. T. Dooling, Superior Judge of San Benito Co.

Special arrangements have been made to give the distinguished guest a hearty welcome. Every effort will be made to make his visit a memorable one. A fine spread will be served in the banquet hall adjoining the lodge room.

The fact that the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club will provide the banquet gives assurance of something extra fine

Each and every member of the Parlor is expected to be present and to bring with him his wife or if he is so fortunate not to have one, a lady friend. This is ladies' night and they will be made especially welome.

Don't build without getting figures on your building from A. W. Adler. He will save you money.

IS GIVEN $5,500 DAMAGES.

Judge Burnett handed down an opinion in the Superior Court on Friday last in the suit of Angelina Morosali vs. L. Massucci, awarding her the damages she asked, namely. $5,500, and her costs. The opinion is as follows:

"In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma. Angelina Morasoli, plaintiff, vs. L. Massucci, defendant.

I believe that plaintiff has told the truth in reference to her relations with defendant. It may be that she did not resist as strenuously as she ought, and that she yielded too readily to his importunities, but her ignorance and misplaced confidence are potential factors that must be considered in determining the merits of the controversy. Her injury is irreparable, and the wrong can never be compensated, but it seems just that the author of her misfortune should bear some of the burden of the expense and disgrace that he brought upon plaintiff.

"Plaintiff's mental capacity is rather below the average in my judgment, and although of mature years, her manner and disposition are those of a child. Considering all the surrounding circumstances I think she is entitled to judgement as prayed for, and it is so ordered.

A clean face and stylish suit are important factors in making favorable impressions. See Chas. Dal Poggetto, the tonsorial artist, Napa St., Sonoma. *

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Lewis Ranch is Reported Sold

This morning papers contained the following item:

Sacramento, March 15—In an interview to day J. G. Martine, president of the L. L. Lewis real estate firm, said, regarding the reported purchase of Yulupa ranch in Sonoma county by H. E. Huntington:

"If the sale has been consummated, it has been through my Los Angeles connections. It will be no surprise to me, as when I was in Los Angeles last week I was credibly informed that Mr. Huntington intends to transfer his operations to Central California immediately and take a hand in the development of this section. In fact I am already convinced that Mr. Huntingdon is already heavily interested in the electric lines now in course of construction throughout the Sacramento Valley.

His purchase of the Yulupa ranch may be a private matter, or it may be connected with a scheme to reach Eureka, Humboldt county. by railroad, a scheme that some three different railroads are endeavoring to carry out. The ranch itself is one of the finest in California, and has a spring of water whose curative powers have been known to the Indians for centuries. They believed that those who drank of its water would live forever, and the word Yulupa means everlasting life. Huntington will certainly be a leading agent in developing the latest resources of Central California and will expend millions in the network of electric roads which he designs threading Central California.

The above refers to the old Carriger place near El Verano. It is proposed to make it a great summer resort and connect it with Santa Rosa and San Francisco with electric roads.

S. P. TRAIN WRECKED

The Southern Pacific passenger train which left Santa Rosa at 6 o'cloc Monday morning for Vallejo was wrecked this side of Napa Junction. The engine, mail and baggage cars and passenger coach left the track. No one was injured. It is said that the softness of the track owing to the recent rainstorm was the cause of the wreck. There were many passengers on the train and several had narrow escapes.

CARD OF THANKS

The family and relatives of the late Win Rambo desire to express their sincere gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly gave them sympathy and assistance during their recent bereavement.

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS

All parties indebted to the Palstine Grocery, now in the hands of receivers for the benefit of creditors are hereby notified to pay all such accounts to the undersigned without delay, as he has been appointed by the receivers to collect all amounts due the said firm.

Dated March 16, 1906.

J. H. ALBERTSON,
Sonoma City, Cal.

Political Cards

L. QUARTAROLI
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906.

A. PINELLI,
(INCUMBENT)
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the City of Sonoma.
Election April 9, 1906.

P. YENNI
INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE
For Trustee of the City of Sonoma.
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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

J. P. LOUSTALET, Plaintiff
vs.
Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants

This action is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Edward Stephens, R. R. Peirpont, John Griffin, Stephen Card, Robert J. Pauli, Caroline Pauli, Albert F. Pauli, Paulina Pauli, Eloisa Pauli Raschen, Peter Campbell, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

The plaintiff above named has brought an action against you and each of you in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex-officio clerk of said Court.

And you are, and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within said county; and if served elsewhere and without said county, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action, situate, lying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. fifty (50), except that portion thereof in the northeast corner being one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet fronting on Napa Street by a uniform depth of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, now owned by Granville S. Harris; also lots Nos. forty-nine (49), sixty-four (64), sixty-five (65), and forty-eight (48), also that certain strip or parcel of land formerly known as a street and lying and being between lots 48 and 65 on the west and lots 49 and 64 on the east, Saving and excepting, however, from out of said lots, Nos. 65 and 48, that certain strip of land on the west side, said lot being twenty (20) feet wide and six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet long, heretofore sold and conveyed by P. J. Vasquez and Catherine, his wife, to Gaetano Noli, saving and excepting also out of said lots Nos. 65 and 48, the se certain portions thereof fronting two hundred (200) feet on Napa Street, by a depth of six hundred and fifty-five (655) feet, sold and conveyed by L. Quartaroli and Amelia Quartaroli, his wife, to Luigi Maffea by a deed dated March 14th, 1903.

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands.
2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the said plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.
3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands or any part thereof.
4. To have said defendants, all and singular, by said court forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands adverse to said plaintiff.
5. To obtain an award and allowance by said court to said plaintiff of their costs in said action and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 12th day of December 1905.

SEAL

F. L. WRIGHT, County Clerk
By G. A. FELDMEYER, Deputy Clerk

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Notice of Election

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the City of Sonoma, State of California, that a general municipal election will be held in said city, at the City Hall, on the second Monday of April, to wit:

The 9th day of April, 1906,

for the election of the following city officers, to wit:

Three Trustees for the full term of four years;

One Treasurer;

One Clerk and Assessor;

One Marshal and Collector.

The following named persons have been appointed a Board of Election to conduct said election, to wit:

W. C. Goodman—Inspector.
S. Ciucci—Inspector.
H. Appleton—Judge.
Geo. W. Estes—Judge.
P. G. Keil—Ballot Clerk.
L. Breitenbach—Ballot Clerk.
L. H. Green—Tally Clerk.
S. Ringstrom—Tally Clerk.

The polls will be open from six (6) o'clock of the morning of the day of election until five (5) o'clock P. M. of the same day.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

JOSEPH B. SMALL,
City Clerk.

Sonoma, Cal., March 7th, 1906.

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We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price $4.55 per pair) if you send FULL CASH WITH ORDER and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump and two Sampson metal puncture closers on full paid orders (these metal puncture closers to be used in case of intentional knife cuts or heavy gashes). Tires to be returned at OUR expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination.

We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. Ask your Postmaster, Banker, Express or Freight Agent or the Editor of this paper about us. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look handsomer than any tires you have used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a small trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

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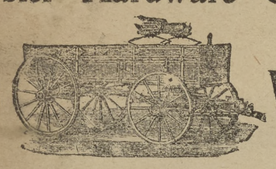

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Death of Win Rambo

At the home of his brother, Wm. Rambo, in this city, on Saturday night occured the death of Mr. Winnie Rambo, whose home until recently has been in Vacaville.

Deceased was forty-five years of age and unmarried. He was the oldest brother of the family. He came to Sonoma a few weeks ago for a brief visit. He was a sufferer from rheumatism. It is believed that the disease attacked his heart causing his sudden demise.

The funeral took place from the residence of his brother on 2nd St. West, on Monday afternoon. Rev. Rowe officiating. The choir of the M. E. Church rendered a number of appropriate selections.

The remains were laid to rest in the vault in Mountain Cemetery, but will later be removed to Valley Cemetery, Sonoma.

GLEN ELLEN B. B. CLUB

A number of young men in the Glen have organized a baseball club and have already a strong team of experienced players on the membership roll. As soon as the w ather clears, the grounds will be put in condition and practice commence.

You can dress better and pay less if you order your tailor-made suit from Chas. DalPoggetto. *

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES.

Notice of appeal to the Supreme Court of the famous contest over the estate of the late Mrs. Lydia C. Wickersham, was filed in the Superior Court. The appeal is taken from the order of Superior Judge Seawell of San Francisco, denying the motion of a new trial.

The final account was settled and allowed of the estate of Sophia T. Craig, the guardian was allowed a fee of $20 and the attorney $15.

The trial of the suit of N. Forni vs. C. Ariasi was set for April 4.

The trial of the suit of Francesca Bocca vs. Frederick Quien et al., was reset for April 11.

Judge Seawell settled the final account of the estate of the late Mrs. Dorothea Duhring and ordered the distribution of the property. The deceased's son, F. T. Duhring, of Sonoma, was the administrator of her estate.

An amended answer was filed in the Superior in the suit of Leopold Moionchi vs. Florendo Nichelini. R. M. Swain and T. G. Butts are the attorneys concerned.

A. PINELLI

The political card of A. Piuelli, announcing his candidacy for the office of Trustee of the City of Sonoma, appears in this issue.

Mr. Pinelli has filled the office to the best of his ability for four years, and now gives the people of Sonoma an opportunity to endorse his term of office by standing for re-election.

Mr. Pinelli is a progressive and enterprising citizen, a large property owner and is unselfishly devoted to the upbuilding of the community.

Should the people of this city see fit to select him again, he can be counted upon as doing his duty in the future as in the past.

Millinery Opening on Saturday March 17th at G. H. Hotz.

Jury Acquits Woman

After an interesting trial before a jury in Justice Atchinson's court on Sonoma, Saturday, Mrs. Mary Ferguson was acquitted of the charge of having disturbed the peace and assailing the character of Mrs. Alta Thierkoff Both women are from Glen Ellen.

Free Poultry Book

We have made arrangements with Mr. P. H. Lawler, author of a valuable little book just from the press, entitled: "The Poultry Industry," whereby we can furnish every paid up and every new subscriber who pays in advance, a free copy of this book. The Expositor is only $1.50 per year, postpaid to any address.

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A fine improved place, only one mile from Sonoma. All good soil. Will be sold as a whole or in lots to suit purchaser, one acre or more. A rare chance to get a good home. Inquire at Expositor office.

Stone work is cheaper than wood in the end and less expensive to keep in repair. See Wm. Trudgen for stone, cement or Cemetery work of any kind.

LOCAL ITEMS

The hills surrounding this valley were covered with snow Monday and Tuesday mornings.

Geo. Perasso and Walter Poulson took in the sights of Petaluma Saturday.

W. C. Nolan had business in Santa Rosa on Tuesday.

B. M. Bones has been elected a delegate to represent Glen Ellen Parlor in the Grand Parlor that begins its session in Ventura on April 23, next.

F. T. Duhring had legal business in Santa Rosa Tuesday.

It is a good time of the year to lay cement walks. They are the cheapest and best in the end. Wm. Trudgen does that work properly and at a reasonable price. Consult him. Consultation free. *

Frideger & Julian of Glen Ellen, have received a large invoice of wire poultry fencing.

The A. E. Scaumson place near Sebastopol has been sold to an Eastern party.

The Board of Supervisors have awarded damages to the following land owners in the Schell road: Savings Bank of Santa Rosa, $104 96; Sarah B. Dunn, $104 96: Mrs. Mary B. Curtis, $209.92.

According to an order just issued, Lieutenant Herbert G. Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Shaw, who is now connected with the Army Medical Corps in the Philippine Islands, has been instructed to transfer to San Francisco June 1st.

A number of bright local boys will hold forth in Union Hall, March 31st next. The programme will consist of sleight of hand tricks, solos, dances, etc. A social dance will be held at the conclusion of the program. Adults 25c. Children 15c. Give the juvenile thespians a hearty send-off.

A large number from this vicinity attended the Y. M. I. gathering at San Rafael on Sunday.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

Miss Lucy Equi is visiting Santa Rosa friends.

Mrs. Mullen, nee Johnson, has joined her husband in San Francisco where they will reside permanently.

The following new arrivals are registered at the Toscano Hotel:—C. Sherer of Napa, who is superintending the stone work on the new city hall; Carl Ferari, Hugh Foley, Wm. T. Galvin, Patrick Buckley, Michael Collopy and James Boyd, stone workers of San Francisco.

WANTED:—District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary $18.00 weekly, $8.00 per day for expenses. State age and present employment. IDEAL SHEAR CO, 39 Randolph St., Chicago.

The Grand Hotel in Gurneville and a number of their business houses on the main street were destroyed by fire at an early hour Tuesday.

Frank White was down from Glen Ellen this week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. S. B. Lewis.

Co. Surveyor N. V. V. Smythe and Assistant Dist. Attorney Rolfe Thompson, came down to Sonoma on Tuesday morning's train on business in connection with the fire bug who it is alleged set fire to L. Quartaroli's barn some time ago.

Died—In San Francisco, March 10th, Jermiah J. beloved son of Margaret and the late A. C. Patterson, and nephew of Mrs. J. T. Peters.

Dr. T. A. Nufer, V.S., will stand his stallions during the season of 1906 at the Chase place, Sonoma, the first part of each and every week until July 1st. *

See the new summer dress goods at Hotz.

The accounts of the Palstine Grocery have been placed in the hands of Marshal Albertson.

The Russel-Darling Building Co. have just completed a new cottage for F. Quartaroli on his Spain St. property.

Robt. A. Poppe transacted legal business in Santa Rosa this week.

Judge Jos. B. Small and J. M. McGimsey drove over to Napa on important business last Wednesday.

They are here—Spring and Hats RACKET STORE.

Mr. Chon of San Francisco was the successful bidder for the purchase of the Palstine grocery stock.

Spring millinery at the RACKET STORE.

Mrs. Clark of Santa Rosa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter C. Nolan.

A fine baby girl arrived last Friday evening to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Peterson.

Take Our Standard Remedy for impure blood. Sold by J. S. Wilson Kenwood; M. F. Mullen, El Verano; C. J. Poppe, Glen Ellen *

E. H. Johannsen purchased the fine well-boring machinery of Chas. R. Potter of Shellville. Mr. Johannsen is now well equipped for well-boring, and is now ready to take contracts. Rerd his new ad in auother column.

Congregational Church—March 18, A. M. Topic. Revivals of religion and other revivals.—P. M. Union Service at the Congregational Church with sermon by Rev. Mr. Rowe.

Union Evangelistic service will be held in Sonoma beginning March 29 and continuing a week or more. The local pastors will be assisted by Rev. B, W. Palmer of Fruitvale.

Adler has on hand a fine stock of fence posts.

Next Monday is the last day on which nominations for city offices can be filed.

It is reported that Mrs. Lowell of Huichica, will occupy the new McHarvey cottage on 3rd St. West when completed.

D. H. MacQuiddy came back from Concord and is laid up at his home here with an attack of tonsilitis.

S. Schocken spent last week on grand jury duty in Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Erhard Steiger are the happy parents of a bright new baby girl who arrived at their Shellville home yesterday.

PETER YENNI

In another column will be found the political card of Peter Yenni, who aspires to the office of Trustee of the City of Sonoma. Mr. Yenni has spent practically all his life since early boyhood in Sonoma Valley and for the past few years has been successfully engaged in business in this place.

He has large property interests here and is ambitious to see old Sonoma grow and prosper. He is a careful and conservative business man who always lines up with progressive citizens. If chosen to fill this important office by the votes of the people, he will discharge the duties of the office fearlessly and impartially and work and vote for the betterment of the community.

Take Our Standard Remedy for any disease arising from impure blood. Sold by M. F. Mullen, El Verano; C. J. Poppe, Glen Ellen; J. S. Wilson, Kenwood. *

BERNARD'S VAUDEVILLE

Notwithstanding the uncertain and disagreeable weather, Union Hall was crowded last Tuesday evening. Harry Bernard's Vaudeville Show was billed and the people were determined to hear and see this popular company.

As usual Mr. Bernard more than pleased his audience, who were treated to an entirely new and entertaining program.

Bernard's shows are among the most popular ones that come to the valley and are always accorded a large and appreciative audience.

For aid in pressing your suit, see Chas. Dal Poggetto. He'll tell you how to win her heart and hand. *

WOOL AND COTTON HAVE ADVANCED IN PRICE

OUR BLANKETS AND Comforters HAVE NOT

Racket Store

GLEN ELLEN

The ladies of the Congregational Church have decided to re-paint church and hall. This will be quite an improvement as it was needed.

M. T. Dooling of Hollister, G. Vice President of the Native Sons, will visit Glen Ellen Parlor March 31st.

The order of Old Friends who own a tract of land of 15 acres in this place, donated by Dr. O'Donnell, will hold a barbecue here Sept. 2nd, for the benefit of an Old Friends Home to be located on this tract.

We dream that there is quite a stir among San Francisco campers and summer people. No doubt Glen Ellen will have her full share.

A unique position is occupied by Justice of the Peace, James W. Gibson of Glen Ellen. Judge Gibson's distinction was brought to light by Grand Jury Expert Ben Ballard, who reported to the Grand Jury that Justice Gibson had not a single bill for fees in criminal cases during the year 1905. The Justice did not have a criminal case.

Beautiful trimmed hats, ready to wear; Hat and hat shapes at G. H. Hotz.

May Use Motor Cars

There have been reports going the rounds for several days that the California Northwestern railroad is arranging to place motor cars on all its branch lines as soon as they can be secured. These rumors are to the effect that motor cars will be run between the principal stations to do the way work so that a faster service may be given to and from San Francisco by the express trains, which would then stop only at the main stations, taking on all the passengers, etc., gathered there by the motor cars from points along the line.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING

Advertisements inserted under this head for 5 cents per line for the first insertion and 3 cts per line for each subsequent insertion, payable in advance

LOST—Between the City Hotel and the Plaza, a small black purse with double clasp, inside lined with red silk, containing $3.15. Finder please leave at City Hotel.

WANTED—A good gentle driving horse, not over 10 years. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Settings of Pure Bred White Wyandotte eggs. Only $1.00 per setting of 15 eggs. Write or inquire of Chas. R. Potter, Shellville, Cal.

FOR SALE:—Genuine Pure Bred White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Leave orders at the Poultry Market on Broadway.

With a trade thoroughly learned and twenty years experience in the business you have a skilled workman. We refer to Wm. Trudgen the Sonoma stone mason and contractor.

All articles left at Mrs. Lutgens for repairs will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

Jeffers, the chimney sweep, will be in Sonoma once a month hereafter, and will wash windows, clean chimneys or distribute advertising matter. Leave orders at this office or address 423 Humboldt street, Santa Rosa.

You can get anything and everything in the building line of A. W. Adler, mill and lumber yards, Spain St. Sonoma.

Everyone gets a premium at the Racket Store.

FOR SALE — Pure Bred Buff Orpington Eggs. $1.50 per setting. Rooster direct from imported stock —W. J. Russell, Sonoma.

FOR SALE—A new milch cow, "Durham" Apply to Mrs. M. H. Morton, Sonoma, Cal.

FOR SALE—A fine five acre chicken ranch, improved. A bargain. Inquire at this office.

Fine Chicks Hatched.

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50 pieces, extra quality Gingham, pretty new designs 10c

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Didn't that weather last week make you think of spring and didn't spring make you think of white waists? Lots of people thought of them last week and bought, did you? The prices are right from 95c up and the make and quality are up to Hale's high standard.

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To close out the line, $2.00 to $3 50 values, both in dark and light colors ..... $1.50 each

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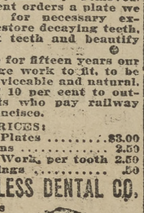

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Glen Ellen and intermediates.

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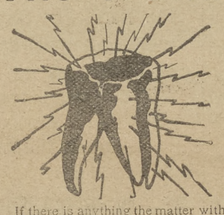

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Painless cement fillings	.25 up
Painless gold fillings	.75 up
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A Patroness of Genius

By HOWARD FIELDING

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MRS. CULVER is a widow, young and fair and very rich. Her ways have been ways of pleasantness throughout the whole span of her years, and she is today the happiest creature that exists under the blue arch of heaven. Even a trifling malady of the heart with which she is afflicted may be counted as a blessing, not only to herself, but to her physician and to me. It spices her life with a delightful though wholly imaginary uncertainty. She is capable of a delicious melancholy and reads the works of the gentler philosophers with a profit and joy which might otherwise be denied to her. And besides she takes a lively pleasure in changing her will about once in three months, with the help of my legal advice. Upon such occasions the enumeration of her various properties gives her a childish gratification wholly unmercenary, a liberal fee is mine, and when I meet her doctor we never fail to shake hands upon the excellent state of Mrs. Culver's health and upon the cheering prospect that her generosity may still be an amelioration of our lives in this hard world years hence when we are old.

Mrs. Culver is a discoverer of genius, chiefly in the fields of music and poetry, and has helped many worthy young persons, with only a moderate sprinkling of mere schemers and spongers. Every new object of her favor inspires her with a fresh desire to attack the impossible problem of establishing a permanent charity for the needy children of Apollo, and (only upon paper, of course) I have squandered millions for her in this way. A natural delicacy restrains her from immediate benefactions of any great magnitude, and so she adds a codicil to her voluminous will and nearly always revises her general scheme of charity at the same time.

Upon a certain day I had an appointment to call upon Mrs. Culver at 3 in the afternoon, and I looked forward to the usual agreeable interview.

When I entered her house I was aware of music, very good music, as I am compelled to admit. Some one was playing upon the piano in the smaller drawing room upon my right. I guessed at once that the performer must be a young Dane named Nils Kronold, whose genius had recently been brought to Mrs. Culver's attention.

The butler informed Mrs. Culver of my presence, and she came to the reception room, where we exchanged a few words. I learned that she had encountered Mr. Kronold in one of the big stores and had brought him home in her carriage. If I cared to hear him play she would take me into the drawing room, but if time pressed with me she would dismiss him and give her attention to business.

MR. KRONOLD SEEMED OBLIVIOUS OF OUR COMING.

Meanwhile the talented Dane continued to discourse most excellent music, and although my conversation with Mrs. Culver occupied more minutes than the brief summary of it might seem to indicate, Mr. Kronold did not cease to play. The sound was always in my ears, although not constantly attended, yet I am sure that if it had been interrupted beyond the natural small pauses of the musical score I should instantly have been aware of the fact and should not have failed to remember it afterward.

I have said, however, that I did not give a steady hearing to the sweet strains that were wafted across to us. The reason was twofold—first, I preferred the voice of my hostess to any other music, and, second, I had observed something which, though it had no especial significance at the moment, excited my curiosity and tended to deflect my attention. Behind Mrs. Culver there was a mirror, and it gave me a view of the part of the hall and of the entrance of the room where Mr. Kronold was. A heavy curtain was hung across that door. I saw the butler—a lean, dark, anxious man, whose name is Derby—draw the curtain aside and enter. I saw him presently emerge, and it seemed to me that his demeanor was not ordinary. It was furtive, tense and nervously indecisive.

There was a chair in a corner of the hall, and he sat down in it and got up again in an unnatural way, as if his action had been part of a mild nightmare. I saw his right hand hovering around the breast pocket of his coat, and I knew that that pocket held unusual contents. Finally he glanced toward the door of the reception room, caught a glimpse, I suppose, of my observing eyes in the mirror, and immediately his distress increased.

"By all means," said I, in response to a renewed suggestion by my hostess, "I should be very much pleased to meet Mr. Kronold."

Upon this we crossed to the drawing room, the butler holding the curtain for our convenience and entering after us in response to a sign from his mistress, who doubtless required some small service of him, though what it was she could not remember, for the excitement of the next few minutes obliterated the matter from her mind.

Mr. Kronold seemed oblivious of our coming. His back was toward us; his eyes were intent upon the score, for it appeared that he was playing something new to his repertory, a purchase of that afternoon. This circumstance may account for the fact that he was giving his third rendition of it when we entered. I remembered having heard those chords while the butler was admitting me to the house and again while Mrs. Culver and I were talking in the reception room.

I think that Mrs. Culver was about to make a gesture to me, indicating that we should wait in silence for the conclusion of the piece, but a sudden shock of surprise arrested her. Following the direction of her glance, I saw a plain table, which stood in the center of the room, seemingly an addition to the ordinary furniture, and now littered with a great number of unframed engravings, upon the midst of which there lay a lady's hand bag. The mouth of the bag was open and gaped at us pathetically like a dying fish.

"Where is my money?" said Mrs. Culver in a strained and whispering tone, and I could have fancied that she addressed the question to the empty bag and that the inanimate creature's open mouth replied in the popular phrase of the day, "You can search me."

The gifted Kronold wheeled about upon the piano stool and sprang to his feet.

"Why, Mrs. Culver," he cried; "surely it's not possible"—

I interrupted him by suddenly addressing Derby, the butler, who was about to withdraw from the scene.

"Don't go," said I, and then to Mrs. Culver: "Pardon me. I think it is important that Derby should remain. I saw him enter this room and leave it, and since then he has not been out of my sight. So if anything is missing he has a perfect opportunity to prove his innocence immediately. In justice to him I could not see him lose this chance by absenting himself at this juncture."

Derby's distress was extreme and ludicrously obvious. In my mind there was no doubt at all that the missing money was in the man's breast pocket.

"What was the sum?" I asked Mrs. Culver. "And in what form was it?"

"Not quite $10,000," she replied. "There were nine $1,000 bills," and she gave me the whimsical, womanly reasons which had led her to close her account with a certain bank and take the sum in cash.

"And you carried so much money in that bag?" said I. "It was a risk."

"Ah, but this is not an ordinary bag," said she, and, taking it from the table, she closed it and gave it to me. "Let me see you open it."

I was unable to do so, for there was a secret spring most ingeniously devised.

"This is the way," said she, taking it from me, and in a moment she had replaced it upon the table open.

"Are you sure the money was there when you left this room?" I asked.

"Positive," she answered. "And, besides, the bag was closed. Somebody must have opened it."

"Yes," said Kronold. "I distinctly remember that it lay upon the table, closed, when I sat down to the piano a few moments ago."

"I don't remember where I put it," said Mrs. Culver, "but," she added, with decision, "I know that it was shut."

"It lay like this," said Kronold, and he put the bag upon a corner of the table, not in the middle, as it had lain when my attention was first drawn to it. "And now," he continued, "there have been only two persons in this room, myself and this servant. In this matter I will claim no advantage over him. His honor may be as precious to him as mine is to me. So this is what must be done." And he proceeded to empty his pockets.

"But you were at the piano all the time," protested Mrs. Culver. "Aside from the absurdity of the idea that you would do such a thing, you really couldn't, you know."

She turned to me for confirmation, and I had no choice but to support the argument. It was a perfect certainty that Kronold had played continuously for some time preceding Mrs. Culver's leaving the room. Nevertheless I yielded to the musician's plea and helped him search himself. He did not have the money.

Then Derby stepped forward, his hand in his breast pocket, and, with most moving evidences of shame and contrition, he produced a letter addressed to Mrs. Culver and bearing the return stamp of a well known employment agency. He had given her the letter when she came in with Kronold and had seen her put it upon the table in the drawing room. Some days before he had incurred the lady's displeasure, and he feared this communication dealt with the question of his successor, so he had so far debased himself at the behest of natural curiosity as to go in and get the letter, intending to read it in the hall and return it to its place before Mrs. Culver should miss it.

"But I didn't take the money," he declared, with tears in his eyes.

And, if he had taken it, what in the name of all mystery had he done with it? He could not have hidden it in the hall, because my eyes were on him, and he had been nowhere else except in the drawing room itself, and there not more than one minute, as I could testify. Moreover, if Mrs. Culver had left the bag closed, how could Derby have known that the money was in it?

Kronold knew, for Mrs. Culver had told him, but the lady had opened the bag after entering the room and had seen the money in it. Therefore if Kronold had taken it it must still be in the room. But the table was at least fifteen feet distant from the piano, and my own ears bore witness that Kronold had played all the time that he was alone.

Mrs. Culver evidently believed that Derby had hidden the money in the room, and she began a search. Derby meanwhile was leaning against the wall, a figure of wood. Kronold took me aside. He had the bag in his hands, and he covertly showed me a small moist stain upon it.

"That looks to me like blood," said he. "Do you observe that Derby has a scratch across two of his fingers?"

"Yes," I answered, "but it doesn't seem to be bleeding."

"I saw him wiping it with his handkerchief," said he. "Now, if this stain is blood that shows that the fellow is lying, for he said that he did not touch the bag. It's only a step to the Children's hospital, and one of the doctors over there could tell me in a jiffy whether it's blood or not. Then we'd have Derby in a noose."

At this moment Mrs. Culver in her search approached the piano, and I saw a spasm of uncontrollable nervous terror sweep over Kronold's face. A great illumination dawned upon my mind—the money was in the piano! Mrs. Culver had not remembered just where she had put down the bag. She must have put it on the piano and not on the table. Kronold had opened it with one hand, while pounding the keys with the other, had taken out the money and then had cleverly tossed the bag to the table.

I may as well say at once that my deductions—except as to the hiding place of the money—were absolutely accurate. That is precisely the way in which the robbery was committed. Subsequent investigations proved Kronold to be a beast of prey, with a long record on the other side of the Atlantic. He was, besides, as clever as a conjurer and one to whom the trick of the bag's lock was simple as A B C.

At that moment I had an inspiration to save Mrs. Culver a shock. A painful scene was inevitable, but it would better involve no one except the thief and myself.

"Mr. Kronold has made a brilliant suggestion," said I, addressing the lady. "It will necessitate our going out together for a few minutes. May I ask you to remain in this room, keep Derby here and admit no one else?"

"WHERE IS KRONOLD?" I DEMANDED.

Mrs. Culver assented without question, and Kronold and I left the room. The musician seemed glad of my company, and as I stepped out from Mrs. Culver's portal into the glare of the western sun my mind was busy with the riddle of the man's demeanor. The next instant I was alone. The heavy door was shut, and Kronold was upon the other side of it.

It may have been ten seconds before I had the wit to use my knuckles and the bell. Derby admitted me, wondering.

"Where is Kronold?" I demanded.

The butler stared and stammered.

"I—I supposed he went out with you, sir."

This, however, was a grievous error. Mr. Kronold went out of that house by way of a basement door and thence to the street at the rear.

And now I come to the richest part of the joke—the money went with him. It had been in his pocket up to the moment when he stood by the table showing how the bag had lain. Then the clever rascal put it into the bag and snapped the lock and immediately entered upon the farce of the search of his own garments. The plunder was hidden in the very receptacle from which it had been stolen, and the thief so carried it from the scene of his remarkable crime. The stain upon the bag he made with his own wetted finger. These facts he confessed when he was caught upon an ocean steamer at the moment of her sailing on the following day.

The Early Astronomers.

The early astronomers were all astrologers and claimed to be able to predict the future careers of various individuals by "casting horoscopes" showing the position of the planets at the time of their birth. The position and movements of the various celestial bodies were not only supposed to control the destinies of men, but were also thought to bring weal or woe, tempest or sunshine, upon the earth itself. A man born when the sun was in the constellation of Scorpio was believed to be naturally bent toward excessive indulgence of the animal passions. One born when the sun was in Pisces was predestined to grovel or be a servant, while one whose earthly career was opened when the great luminary was in Aries would be a great scholar and a man known to the world despite all opposing influences.

Tobacco as Money.

Tobacco, which used to be the medium of exchange in the early colonial days of Virginia, is today the currency of British New Guinea. The British administrator there reports that the medium is not the means of a lively trade. Of the native he says: "He will go to work for a few weeks or months and earn a few pounds, then return to his home and lead the life of a gentleman. He is able to purchase with the tobacco the best of food and luxuries and leads a most lazy and sluggish life. While tobacco remains the currency, as it is now, I see no hope of improvement in the labor conditions with the native."

Scuttled by Muskrats.

The steamer Swan sank at her pier here as a result of a leak caused by muskrats. The rodents gnawed a hole through the hull near the water line, and the boat settled until she rested on the bottom.

The craft was successfully raised with the assistance of a tug, whose pumps were employed. The muskrats that caused the trouble were killed.—Portland Oregonian.

He Was Nearly There.

During McClellan's march up the peninsula a tall Vermonter got separated from his regiment and was tramping along through the mud trying to overtake it. He came to a crossing and was puzzled which road to take, but a native came along and the soldier inquired, "Where does this road lead to?" "To perdition," answered the surly southerner. "Waal," drawled the Green Mountain boy, "judging by the lay o' the land and the looks o' the people, I calc'late I'm most there."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

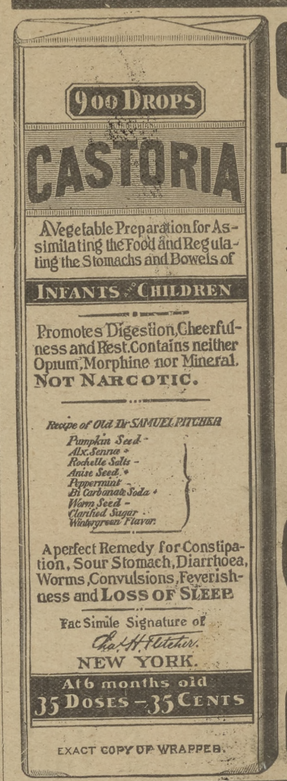
Homely Voltaire.

Voltaire was the ugliest man of his age. Emaciated to a skeleton, all the features of his countenance were exaggerated. His nose and chin nearly met from the lack of teeth; his cheeks were sunken and wrinkled, his eyes set so far back in his head and so obscured by shaggy, overhanging brows as to be almost invisible. He usually wore a large wig, from the midst of which his attenuated features peeped out with comical effect. For years before he died his weight did not exceed ninety pounds.

Something New In Babies.

Sis — What does all them women come to look at the baby for?

Bub—'Cause it's the newest one in town, an' they want to get on to the latest styles, I guess.—Cleveland Leader.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